

## ETHICS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – DECISIONS AND VOTING**

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was collected for the procurement and to advise the Living Well Project Director.

Describe the screen established by your ethics officer. (Attach additional pages as needed.)  The DDRS Director as reassigned all work on the procurement for the Living Well grant to the Project Director/Project	
Manager for the Living Well Grant and to the DDRS Director of Operations. Additionally, she has as	ssigned the Indiana
Facilitator for the LifeCourse Framework Community of Practice responsibilities to another DDRS er	mployee.
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**Ethics Disclosure** 

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Good Morning Dr. Sullivan,

Attached please find an Ethics Disclosure Statement that I am submitting to you based on an application I have made for a Senior Research Associate position at the University of Missouri Kansas City Institute for Human Development. Because I have had interactions with this entity in my work for FSSA/DDRS I am submitting this Disclosure to you and plan to request an opinion from the State Ethics Commission.

I have discussed this with both my supervisor, Kylee Hope and with the FSSA Ethics Officer, Latosha Higgins (both are copied on this email).

Please review the attached Disclosure and let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you for your consideration,

Julie Reynolds Director of Strategic Initiatives Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services 402 W. Washington St Indianapolis, IN

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